CCR/FedReg Release Notes

This new format is intended to help users understand the impact that various changes will have on the different areas of CCR. The following table shows the current or upcoming release information for CCR and FedReg as well as prior releases.

CCR v4.07.3.4 – Estimated December 3, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
IAE CR-125-CCR – Realign Corporate Information Page— In an effort to better align Business types within CCR with Organization types, the Corporate Information Page has been changed. Business types available for choice will depend on the Organization type chosen. In addition, all registrants will be required to re- enter all of their Organization/Business types on their first update or renewal after this implementation.	CCR Update will present various Business types to a registrant based on the Organization type chosen. On the first update or renewal after implementation, registrants will be required to re-enter their Corporate information.	No impact.	No Impact.	No Impact.
IAE CR-154-CCR – Allow unlimited number of NAICS codes – Previously CCR was limited to 20 NAICS codes per registrant. With this release this limit has been removed.	Registrants will now be able to enter more than 20 NAICS codes.	No impact. Current CCRXML, SBAXML, and EDIXML all have the capability to go beyond the old 20 NAICS limit.	No Impact.	No Impact. Current version CCR Extract already allows for more than 20 NAICS codes to be extracted. Older versions will still remain at the 20 NAICS limit as the older versions are no longer updated with CCR changes.
CCR IMR-008 – Various Wording Changes – Aggregate average annual revenue and Location average annual revenue have both been changed to use the word "receipts" in place of "revenue".	CCR Update and CCR Search will now reflect Receipt in place of Revenue for these fields.	No impact.	Fields will have new labels using the word receipts rather than revenue.	No impact.

CCR v4.07.3.3 – November 5, 2007					
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts	
IAE CR-124-CCR – Size Standard for Banking, Utilities and Petroleum – CCR will collect additional size information for specified NAICS codes in the above industries to assist the Small Business Administration in making its determinations. This information will be forwarded to the SBA when the registration is complete. In addition, all vendors will be required to re-enter all of their NAICS codes on the first renewal after this implementation.	CCR Update will request additional size information for registrations containing specified NAICS codes. On the first renewal after implementation, vendors will be required to re-enter all of their NAICS codes.	No impact.	No Impact.	No Impact.	

CCR v4.07.3.2 – Estimated October 8, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
IAE CR-065-CCR – Conversion of CCR Update to dot net – This release is primarily to update technologies to remain current with DoD requirements. We have also included the updated CCR look and feel to the Update module. CCR handbook and other documentation will be updated for the new web site look as well.	The new CCR Update will have the look and feel of the rest of CCR now. Functionality should be the same as in release 4.07.3. This update sets the stage for future enhancements.	No impact.	No Impact.	No Impact.
IAE CR-171-CCR – Change JWOD references to AbilityOne – All references to JWOD have been updated in the CCR system (and the CCR Handbook) to AbilityOne which is their new public name. For a time the notice (formerly JWOD) will be part of the name in CCR.	New name will be reflected in CCR Search web page.	No change in the Business Type itself so no impact except to update downstream systems translations to include the new name.	New name will be reflected in CCR Tools web page.	No change in the Business Type itself so no impact except to update downstream systems translations to include the new name.

CCR v4.07.3.1 – October 1, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
IAE CR-082-CCR – Switch to 2007 NAICS	Vendors with	Over the course of the next year	Search results will	Over the course of the next year
Codes – This dated release is required to keep	NAICS codes on	any 2002 NAICS that were	not show NAICS	any 2002 NAICS that were
CCR and SBA in synch as we move to the new	their registration that	eliminated from the NAICS	codes that are made	eliminated from the NAICS
NAICS 2007 Codes.	are eliminated with	2007 set will fall off	obsolete through this	2007 set will fall off
	this conversion will	registrations as vendors renew.	change.	registrations as vendors renew.
This affects new and renewed registrations from	fail the edits against			
October 1 and beyond. Registrations with old	the new NAICS	All new and renewed		All new and renewed
NAICS codes may still be in the CCR system	table and will be	registrations will go through an		registrations will go through an
through September 30, 2008. Registrations will	required to correct	edit to insure that only 2007		edit to insure that only 2007
have to be updated at next access in CCR by the	their NAICS before	version NAICS are used.		version NAICS are used.
vendor.	they can finish			
	renewal in CCR.			
A list of all of the 2007 NAICS Codes can be	New registrants will			
found here:	only have 2007			
http://www.census.gov/naics/2007/naics07-6.xls	NAICS from which			
	to choose.			
A cross reference of NAICS2002 to NAICS2007				
can be found here:	Search results will			
http://www.census.gov/naics/2007/n02-n07.xls	not show NAICS			
	codes that are made			
The U. S. Government web page dealing with	obsolete through this			
NAICS can be found here:	change.			
http://www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html				

	CCR v4.07.3 –August 26, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts	
General note on Extracts for Version 4.07.3	N/A	N/A	N/A	The biggest change in CCR Extracts is that we will begin supporting multiple versions of the BPN/CCR Extract output. This will allow CCR to make changes to the output as needed for support of IAE initiatives without causing our BPN/CCR Extract users additional work to change their Extract use to coincide with every CCR release. The multiple versions will allow an Extract user to continue with an older version of the extract for up to a year after a newer release is implemented.	
IAE CR-101b-CCR - Business Size Validation, D&B Family Tree - This change implements the dissemination of Location Size data to complement the Size data already collected for all affiliates (worldwide size). This is in relation to the average number of employees and the average annual revenue. If there are no affiliates, the Location Size data will be the same as the Worldwide Size data.	No impact	CCR XML (output) - Beginning with release 4.07.3 will include the size data for the specific location registering in CCR along with their worldwide operations numbers. SBAXML (input/output) - Beginning with release 4.07.3 will include the location size data. No impact on D&B XML and EDIXML.	No impact	Beginning with release 4.07.3 CCR Extracts will include the size data for the specific location registering in CCR along with their worldwide operations numbers. The Location Size information will be available in Proprietary, Sensitive, and Complete extract output.	
IAE CR-076-CCR – Support new SBA designation 8(a) Joint Venture – The SBA will be adding a new Certification to the list of SBA Certified Business Types. This new type will be code JT and is defined as "SBA Certified 8A Joint Venture".	This new certification will show along with other SBA certifications in Search.	SBA XML and CCRXML both support this new certificate. EDIXML and D&B XML are not affected.	This new certification will show along with other SBA certifications in Search.	A change will be made to the extract output setting the SBA Certifications to be represented in a repeating data field set.	

CCR v4.07.3 –August 26, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
IAE CR-065e-FedReg – Conversion of FedReg to dot net – The FedReg screens will be joining CCR in the new colors. We also have upgraded the underlying structure to maintain current technology and security standards. The new FedReg will interface with BRS/BASIC for access control and is a requirement for IAE CR-053-CCR FedReg Merge implementation.	New look and feel to FedReg as it will also share the colors of CCR. Also, all FedReg log in users will have new user ID's assigned in the conversion to BRS/BASIC authentication.	No XML impact.	No impact.	No impact to FedReg Extract users.
IAE CR-053-CCR – Merge FedReg data into the CCR Search – Now the CCR Search and CCR Tools will return FedReg data along with CCR data. The combined CCR/FedReg output follows the current restrictions on FedReg viewership.	CCR Search will return FedReg data along with CCR data when your incoming URL is a .mil or .gov site.	No XML impact.	CCR Tools will return FedReg data along with CCR data when your incoming URL is a .mil or .gov site.	No impact to FedReg Extract.
IAE CR-130-CCR – ccr.gov Redesign – The front page of ccr.gov is getting a new look with Release 4.07.3. It will now have a place for not only current Bulletin Board entries but you can look back to archived entries as well. In addition, we are taking your suggestions to make navigation easier.	New look as noted in the description.	No impact	No impact	No impact.
IAE CR-065a-CCR – Conversion of CCR Update to dot net – The CCR Update screens will be losing their greenness and will join the rest of CCR in the new colors. We also have upgraded the underlying structure to maintain current technology and security standards.	CCR Update now will have the new color scheme for CCR.	No impact.	No impact.	No impact.

CCR v4.07.2 – May 4, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
CR 101a- Business Size Validation, D&B Family Tree- This change implements the data collection of Location Size data to complement the Size data already collected for all affiliates (worldwide size)	CCR Update site will have to display the new fields and the reminder on the general information page	Not in 101a - SBA XML (input/output), D&B XML (input), EDIXML (output), and CCRXML (output) will not be affected.	Displays the Location Size information on the detail page.	No Impact until v.4.07.3 Release
CR 99 - Removal of Large Business Indicator- In April 2005, CCR implemented the logic, through the Small Business Administration (SBA), to derive Small Business Size Status by revenues, employees, NAICS codes, and other small business defining factors. CCR indicates the Small Business Size Status next to each NAICS code listed in the profile.	Large business will no longer be returned on CCR Public Search/CCR Tools Search and will no longer be a choice on Corporate info page in CCR update.	Large Business as a Business Type will no longer be available in any XML.	No Impact	Large Business will no longer be available in Extracts.
CR 105 - DBA (Foreign Parent)- This change will prevent CCR from using a DBA line from D&B if it is the comment (Foreign Parent).	Background code for CCR Update to ignore a BV packet Tradestyle element when it has the key phrase in it. Screen itself doesn't change.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact

CCR v4.07.1 – February 11, 2007				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
CR 56 - SBA NAICS Size Standards- It means that the CCR Business Types 21/Small Business and B2/Emerging Small Business will be retired. The current Yes/No flag showing SBA determinations (now including the exception breakdown when applicable) will be tied to each NAICS code chosen by the CCR registrant.	It is expected that CCR will still collect only the front end data that it currently collects on each registrant as the exceptions are internal to SBA.	The CCRXML schema for external interface, like used by ORCA, will have to change to incorporate the new data elements.	No Impact	It is expected that CCR will still collect only the front end data that it currently collects on each registrant as the exceptions are internal to SBA.
New CCR Web site Look - This release included a new look and feel to CCR Inquiry, CCR Tools, and the ccr.gov home page.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact
CR 74 - Federal Debt Flag- An element for the Delinquent Federal Debt flag is defined in this release for extracts and CCRXML but filling this data element is not yet implemented.	Available in CCR Extracts (FOUO, Proprietary, Sensitive, and Complete) and Custom CCR extracts if it's determined that extract users need this data.	CCR XML will need to have a new element defined.	The results will be stored in CCR and will display on the CCR Tools interface and in a Public search on the Detail page.	Available in CCR Extracts (FOUO, Proprietary, Sensitive, and Complete) and Custom CCR extracts if it's determined that extract users need this data.

CCR v3.06.3 – July 28, 2006					
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts	
Canadian Province Codes- A change in accepted Canadian Province Codes has gone into effect with the 3.06.3 release of CCR. Obsolete Canadian Province Codes for Quebec and Newfoundland will no longer be allowed in CCR. Only the current codes for Quebec (QC) and Newfoundland/Labrador (NL) will be accepted in CCR.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact	The updated registrations will be sent out in CCR extracts.	
D&B Name Address Verification - This CCR revision renders most CCR registrants unable to change, directly in CCR, their Legal Business Name, DBA (Doing Business As) and Physical Address. They must correct name and address information for those fields at DUN & Bradstreet (D&B).	A new screen allows the user to use the address data presented or refuse.	Potential exists for "bad" addresses for Physical Address and missing ZIP+4 to be included in CCR XML.	No impact	Potential exists for "bad" addresses for Physical Address and missing ZIP+4 to be included in extracts.	
CCR Zip +4- This change affects the way ZIP Codes are processed for a registrant's physical address. When a new registrant registers in CCR, DLIS will execute the D&B Toolkit Address Standardization Transaction to get the Zip +4 from Dun & Bradstreet on initial business verification. If there is not a Zip Code +4 from DnB, the position will be zero filled.	Users will see a '0' filled if there is not a zip +4.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact	

CCR v3.06.2 – April 30, 2006				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
CR 42b - Prior DUNS - Monthly update will be retrieved from D&B with Prior DUNS information. This will now display on the CCR Tools profile.	Impact - add new field in CCR to store registrant's prior DUNS number.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact
DUNS Check Digit Algorithm - Dun & Bradstreet (D&B) will soon delete their requirement for a check digit in a DUNS number. CCR is ready now for new D&B DUNS numbers with the termination of check digit checking with this release.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact
JWOD - JWOD Business type will no longer be a self-certified value. CCR will be fed validated DUNS numbers from the Committee charged with JWOD validation. Only those Non-Profit agencies on the validated list will be marked as JWOD in CCR.	Impact - CCR to display new indicator in CCR Update, CCR Search, and CCR Tools	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact

CCR v3.06.1 – January 30, 2006				
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts
CR 46 - Small Agricultural Coop - A new choice for Small Agricultural Co-operative business type went into effect on Jan 30, 2006. The definition for 'small agricultural cooperative' can be found at http://www.sba.gov/size/indexglossary.html.	Impact - A new Business Type, "Small Agriculture Cooperative" will be displayed.	Impact - SBA changed the small business size standard logic used in the profile transfer program to accommodate the new business type.	Impact - A new Business Type, "Small Agriculture Cooperative" will be created.	Impact - A new Business Type, "Small Agriculture Cooperative" will be created.
CR 40 - DUNS +4 - DUNS+4 registrations being restricted to EFT data went into effect on Jan 30, 2006. This changes the way the DUNS +4 records will be processed. Only the primary DUNS CCR POC will be able to make changes to DUNS+4 records. In addition, this will only allow changes to be made to the EFT portion of the CCR record. The Duns+4 records will otherwise carry the registrant's information from the primary DUNS CCR Registration. The CAGE Codes on all DUNS+4 records will not be affected by this change, they will continue to receive a unique CAGE Code.	Impact - Fields in DUNS +4 records will be locked from certain updates.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact
Linkage Monitoring - D&B Linkage Monitoring went into effect on Jan 30, 2006. In the past, Dun & Bradstreet (D&B) provided changes to corporate linkage (hierarchy) information to CCR on a 30-day cycle. This created the possibility of a lag in data updates hitting CCR. Linkage Monitoring will cut this lag down to 24 hours once the change hits the D&B Worldbase database.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact
Error Codes - D&B Error Codes Processing improvement went into effect on Jan 30, 2006. D&B will provide better descriptive information to CCR to present useful guidance to the registrant.	Impact - Error code interpretations will now defer to D&B supplied verbiage on CCR.gov.	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact

CCR v3.06.1 – January 30, 2006					
Change Request Information	WEB/GUI	XML	CCR Tools	Extracts	
CR 57 - Compatibility Edits: Service Disabled	Impact – "Veteran	No Impact	No Impact	No Impact	
Veteran Owned Business - On the Corporate	Owned Business"	-			
Information page in CCR Update, if you select	field will automati-				
the Business Type "Service Disabled Veteran	cally be populated				
Owned Business", Veteran Owned Business will	when a vendor				
be auto-selected for you.	chooses "Service				
	Disabled Veteran				
	Owned Business".			1	